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CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

Teammates for Kids Foundation

Grants to Support Children's Services

Program: The Teammates for Kids Foundation accepts proposals from organizations that specialize in working with children. Grants support the on-going work of not-for-profit organizations that have an outstanding record in effectively and efficiently delivering programs and services that improve the lives of needy children and offering assistance in the areas of health and education, as well as services for inner-city youth. The foundation is interested in funding services that demonstrate both short and long-term impacts on the lives of children.

Funds: Range of grants: \$10,000 to \$50,000

Deadline: February 1, 2005

Eligible: Nonprofit organizations

Information: Teammates for Kids Foundation, 7851 South Elati Street, Suite 200, Littleton, CO 80120, Link: http://www.touchemall.com/apply_for_grant/apply_grant.htm

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Administration for Children and Families, Office of Community Services

Community Services Block Grant

Community Economic Development Public Markets

Program: These grants will provide technical and financial assistance for economic development activities designed to address the economic needs of low-income individuals and families by creating employment and business development opportunities. Through this initiative, the Office of Community Services will award grants to Community Development Corporations to expand or create public markets. The public markets priority area is designed to encourage rural and urban community development corporations to create projects intended to provide employment and business development opportunities for low-income people through public markets. Low income beneficiaries of these projects include those who are determined to be living in poverty as determined by federal guidelines. They may be unemployed, on public assistance, including Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), are at risk teenagers, custodial and non-custodial parents, public housing residents, persons with disabilities, and persons who are homeless.

Funds: Total funds available: \$1,000,000
Grant size: up to \$250,000
Number of awards: four to six

Deadline: September 16, 2004

Eligible: Nonprofit organizations, including faith-based organizations

Information: Barbara Ziegler Johnson, Office of Grants Management, Division of Discretionary

Grants, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, SW., Aerospace Building, Washington, DC 20447-0002, E-mail: bziegler-johns1@acf.hhs.gov, Telephone: (202) 401-4646.

Link:

<http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/06jun20041800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2004/04-18783.htm>

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EDUCATION

U.S. Department of Education

Institute of Education Sciences

Pre-Doctoral Interdisciplinary Research Training in the Education Sciences

Program: The intent of the Pre-Doctoral Interdisciplinary Research Training in the Education Sciences grants is to support the development of innovative interdisciplinary training programs for doctoral students interested in conducting applied education research, and to establish a network of training programs that collectively produce a cadre of education researchers willing and able to conduct a new generation of methodologically rigorous and educationally relevant scientific research that will provide solutions to pressing problems and challenges facing American education.

Funds: Range of grants: \$500,000 to \$1,000,000 per year for up to 5 years

Deadline: November 18, 2004

Eligible: Non-profit and for-profit organizations and public and private agencies and institutions, such as colleges and universities, that have the ability and capacity to conduct scientifically valid research.

Information: James Griffin, U.S. Department of Education, Institute of Education Sciences, 555 New Jersey Avenue, NW., Room 611A, Washington, DC 20208, Telephone: (202) 219-2280, E-mail: James.Griffin@ed.gov, Link: <http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/06jun20041800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2004/04-19176.htm>

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National Education Association

Improvement of Education

Program: The National Education Association Foundation for the Improvement of Education will award grants in two categories:

- 1) learning and leadership grants; and
- 2) innovation grants.

Learning and leadership grants support individuals participating in professional-development activities, such as summer institutes, or groups of teachers and education-support professionals conducting research, mentoring, or other relevant activities. Innovation grants support collaborative efforts by two or more colleagues to develop and implement programs that encourage high student achievement.

Funds: Grant size: individuals may apply for grants of up to \$2,000 and groups may apply for

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up to \$5,000
Deadline: September 15, 2004
Eligible: Teachers at public schools, education-support professionals at public schools, and faculty and staff members at public colleges or universities; teachers and staff members with fewer than seven years of experience and education-support professionals are particularly encouraged to apply.
Information: NEA Foundation for the Improvement of Education, 1201 16th Street, NW, Suite 416, Washington, D.C. 20036-3207, Telephone: (202) 822-7840, Fax (202) 822-7779, Link: <http://www.nfie.org>

ELECTIONS

Election Assistance Commission

Help America Vote College Poll Worker Recruitment Program

Program: The Help America Vote Act of 2002 allows the U.S. Election Assistance Commission to award grants for the development of a program to encourage students enrolled at institutions of higher education, including community colleges, to assist state and local governments in the administration of elections by serving as nonpartisan poll workers or assistants. Project funds must be used for projects and activities that are carried out without partisan bias or without promoting any particular point of view regarding any issue.

Funds: Total funds available: up to \$645,750
Grant size: up to \$150,000
Number of awards: one to 50

Deadline: September 9, 2004

Eligible: Public and private institutions of higher education, community colleges, non-profit organizations, and faith-based organizations

Information: Karen Lynn-Dyson, U.S. Election Assistance Commission, 1225 New York Avenue, NW., Suite 1100, Washington, DC 20005, Telephone: (202) 566-3100, Fax: (202) 566-1389, Link: <http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/06jun20041800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2004/04-19632.htm>

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HEALTH

Altria

Positive Helpings Meals Program

Program: Altria Group, Inc. and the Association of Nutrition Services Agencies have announced the 2004 Positive Helpings Request for Proposals. Through this program, Altria aims to support solutions that work to ensure that all people with HIV/AIDS have access to nutritious meals that improve their quality of life. Applicant organizations must:

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- provide congregate meals, home delivered meals, or food pantry services;
- have been in operation for at least two years; and
- demonstrate consistent use of the Association of Nutrition Services Agencies' nutritional guidelines and safety standards.

Organizations may not request a grant in excess of 15 percent of the total organizational budget, or 30 percent of the current program/project budget. Altria will provide one-year grant awards to fund: food; kitchen/food handling equipment; transportation/distribution equipment; salaries essential for the direct provision of meal/nutrition services; and other reasonable program costs.

Funds: Average grant size: \$20,000
Range of grants: \$5,000 to \$50,000
Number of awards: 75

Deadline: September 17, 2004

Eligible: Non-profit organizations that provide groceries or home-delivered meals to people living with or affected by HIV/AIDS

Information: Frank Abdale, Positive Helpings Grant Program, Association of Nutrition Services Agencies, 1030 15th Street NW, Suite 860, Washington, DC 20005, Telephone: (202) 289-5650, Email: fabdale@ansadc.org, Link: http://altria.com/responsibility/04_05_02_06_00_PosHelp_Main.asp

U.S. Department of Health and Humans Services

Office of the Secretary

Adolescent Family Life Research Grants

Program: The Office of Population Affairs requests applications for grants for applied research addressing Adolescent Family Life program goals related to adolescent sexual relations, pregnancy, and parenthood:

- helping adolescents avoid health risk behaviors;
- ensuring that adolescents have the supports necessary to pursue healthy and productive lives; and
- strengthening families.

Grant awards will be made to investigate one or more of the following seven areas:

- 1) Parent involvement and communication;
- 2) Youth development / developmental assets;
- 3) Pro-social risk behaviors;
- 4) Adoption;
- 5) Adolescent parents;
- 6) Long term impact of adolescent childbearing on family structure; and
- 7) Influences on adolescent premarital sexual behavior.

Funds: Total funds available: \$500,000
Number of awards: two to three

Deadline: September 15, 2004

Eligible: Public agencies, private non-profit and for-profit organizations, and institutions of higher education

Information: Barbara Cohen, Office of Population Affairs, 1101 Wootton Parkway, Suite 700,

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Rockville, MD 20852, Telephone: (301) 594-4001, E-mail: bcohen@osophs.dhhs.gov,
Link: <http://www.omhrc.gov/omh/whatsnew/2pgwhatsnew/funding837.htm>

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MUSEUMS AND LIBRARIES

Institute of Museum and Library Services

Program to Develop, Offer, and Evaluate an Online Course to Train Library and Museum

Personnel

Program: The Institute of Museum and Library Services will fund three year grants to support programs that create, test, and implement online courses that teach library and museum employees to design and evaluate programs.

Funds: Grant size: up to \$1 million

Deadline: September 15, 2004

Eligible: Higher-education institutions, public and nonprofit museums, libraries that are not federally operated or for-profit, graduate schools of library and information science that are part of higher education institutions, and professional associations that serve the museum or library field

Information: Susan Malbin, Program Officer, Office of Library Services, Room 802, Institute of Museum and Library Services, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20506, Telephone: (202) 606-5389, E-mail: smalbin@imls.gov, Link: <http://www.imls.gov/whatsnew/current/outcomescourse.htm>

SPORTS

U.S. Soccer Foundation

Grantmaking Program

Program: The U.S. Soccer Foundation works to enhance, assist, and grow the sport of soccer in the United States. As part of this mission, the foundation's annual grant-making program provides support to soccer programs and organizations. The goal of the grantmaking program for fiscal year 2005 is to focus funding on those programs or projects that develop players, referees, and coaches with special emphasis on the economically disadvantaged in urban areas. The foundation's grants program is open to anyone with a soccer-specific program or project that benefits a not-for-profit purpose and meets the established focus for the 2005 grant cycle. The foundation has changed its grant application process effective with the 2005 grant cycle by implementing a two-phase procedure. The initial step in the application process is the required letter of inquiry that will solicit basic applicant and project information through a document that will be submitted online. The foundation will give priority to projects or programs where:

- The foundation's commitment of resources has a significant impact on the project or program;

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- The project or program affords the foundation the opportunity to develop alliances or partnerships;
- The impact of the project or program and the foundation's involvement in it are measurable; and,
- The foundation supports but does not operate the project or program.

Funds: Grant size: up to \$100,000
Deadline: Letter of inquiry: October 15, 2004
 Full application: December 1, 2004
Eligible: Not-for-profit soccer programs and organizations
Information: U.S. Soccer Foundation, 1050 17th Street, NW, Suite 210, Washington, D.C. 20036,
 Telephone: (202) 872-9277, Fax: (202) 872-6655, Link:
<http://www.ussoccerfoundation.org/GNT.html>

FOUNDATION PROFILE

Clipper Ship Foundation

Program: Clipper Ship Foundation, Inc. was founded in 1979 by David Weatherhead to provide support for human service organizations to help them in fulfilling their goals and broadening the scope of their services. Priority is given to organizations devoted to helping the homeless, the destitute, the elderly, the disabled, children and youth or to meeting the special needs of minority, low-income individuals and families. Grants in support of the arts are limited to programs furnishing exposure to the arts to children or disabled individuals, without charge or at significantly reduced cost. The Foundation encourages grants that will match or otherwise stimulate giving by other donors. The Clipper Ship Foundation awards funding in the following categories:

- Aid to People with Disabilities;
- Children and Young People;
- Community Affairs;
- Emergency and Disaster Relief; and
- Food and Shelter.

Funds: Total funds awarded: \$1.5 million annually
 Range of grants: \$5,000 to \$25,000

Deadline: Applications may be submitted at any time and all requests will be acknowledged. The Grantmaking Committee and the Board of Directors considers proposals four times per year, in January, April, July, and October.

Eligible: Federally tax qualified, nonprofit organizations, serving the Greater Boston community or the residents of Lawrence, Massachusetts.

Information: Anna Karlsson, Foundation Assistant, Clipper Ship Foundation, Inc., 77 Summer Street, Eighth Floor, Boston, MA 02110, Telephone: (617) 426-7080, Fax: (617) 426-7087, E-mail: akarlsson@grantsmanagement.com

RECENT AWARDS

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Compassion Capital Fund Demonstration Program

Grant: ▪ *Black Ministerial Alliance* – \$2,000,000 as the third installment of a three-year grant award to BMA as an intermediary organization assisting grass-root, faith, and community-based organizations to increase their effectiveness, enhance their ability to provide social services. and create collaborations to better serve those in need.

Information: Compassion Capital Fund, Office of Community Services, Administration for Children and Families, Department of Health and Human Services, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, SW, Washington, DC 20447, Telephone: (703) 752-4331, Link: <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/ccf/>

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Administration for Children and Families

Grants: ▪ *Big Sister Association of Greater Boston* – \$164,000 from the Mentoring Children of Prisoners grant program.

Information: Family and Youth Services Bureau, Administration for Children and Families, Department of Health and Human Services, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, SW, Washington, DC 20447, Telephone: (202) 401-9358, Link: <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/>

Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts Foundation

Grants: ▪ *John Snow Research and Training Institute* – \$50,000 to study the extent to which a subsidized health-insurance program for people in the Massachusetts fishing industry can be duplicated in other industries.

 ▪ *Massachusetts Department of Mental Health* – \$50,000 to integrate primary care and mental-health services for underserved Hispanics in the Worcester, Massachusetts area.

 ▪ *Boston University, Goldman School of Dental Medicine* – \$46,716 to develop policy recommendations designed to increase access to fluoridated water, with a focus on uninsured and low-income people and minorities.

 ▪ *Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center* – \$40,000 to help managers select, retain, and promote highly qualified, diverse staff members.

Information: Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts Foundation, Landmark Center, 401 Park Drive, Boston, MA 02215-3326, Telephone: (617) 246-3744, E-mail: info@bcbsmafoundation.org, Link: <http://www.bcbsmafoundation.org>

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

Grants: ▪ *United Way of Massachusetts Bay* – \$2,250,000 for a project to improve after-school programs for children in Boston, as part of a broader effort to reduce substance abuse and other risky behaviors among youths.

 ▪ *Boston University School of Public Health* – \$2,244,585 for the third phase of the Leadership to Keep Children Alcohol Free program.

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- *Harvard University School of Public Health* – \$146,637 to produce a supplement to the evaluation of the foundation’s program A Matter of Degree: Reducing High-Risk Drinking Among College Students

Information: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, College Road East P.O. Box 2316, Princeton, New Jersey 08543, Telephone: (888) 631-9989, E-mail: mail@rwjf.org, Link: <http://www.rwjf.org>

Ben & Jerry’s Foundation

Grants: ▪ *Massachusetts Campaign for Single Payer Health Care* – \$10,000 for education and advocacy in support of universal health care in Massachusetts.

Information: Ben & Jerry’s Foundation, 30 Community Drive, South Burlington, Vermont 05403-6828, Telephone: (802) 846-1500, Link: <http://www.benjerry.com/foundation>